

HOUSE No. 1085

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen Kulik

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act ensuring access to health care services.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Stephen Kulik

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

1st Franklin

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT ENSURING ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE SERVICES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 **SECTION 1:** Subsection (b) Section 35 of chapter 118G of the General Laws, as inserted by
2 section 15 of chapter 61 of the acts of 2007, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence to
3 subpart (3)(a): “provided further that such reimbursable health services provided to uninsured and
4 underinsured patients who are subsequently determined eligible for Medicaid or the commonwealth care
5 health insurance program, established pursuant to chapter 118H, shall be eligible for reimbursement for
6 services provided six months prior to the patient’s application to such programs.”

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